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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

1 **SECTION 1. REDESIGNATION.**

2 (a) FINDING.—Congress finds that in August 2002,
3 Kris Eggle, a 28-year-old park ranger in Organ Pipe Cac-
4 tus National Monument, was murdered in the line of duty
5 along the border between the United States and Mexico.

6 (b) DEDICATION.—Congress dedicates the visitor
7 center in Organ Pipe Cactus National Monument to Kris
8 Eggle and to promoting awareness of the risks taken each
9 day by all public land management law enforcement offi-
10 cers.

11 (c) REDESIGNATION.—The visitor center in Organ
12 Pipe Cactus National Monument in Arizona is hereby des-
13 ignated as the “Kris Eggle Visitor Center”.

14 (d) REFERENCE.—Any reference to the visitor center
15 in Organ Pipe Cactus National Monument in Arizona, in
16 any law, regulation, map, document, record, or other
17 paper of the United States shall be considered to be a ref-
18 erence to the “Kris Eggle Visitor Center”.

19 (e) SIGNAGE.—The Secretary of the Interior shall
20 post interpretive signs at the visitor center and at the
21 trailhead of the Baker Mine-Milton Mine Loop that—

22 (1) describe the important role of public law en-
23 forcement officers in protecting park visitors;

24 (2) refer to the tragic loss of Kris Eggle in un-
25 derscoring the importance of these officers;

1 (3) refer to the dedication of the trail and the
2 visitor center by Congress; and

3 (4) include a copy of this Act and an image of
4 Kris Eggle.

5 **SEC. 2. AUTHORIZATION OF APPROPRIATIONS.**

6 There are authorized to be appropriated such sums
7 as may be necessary to carry out this Act.

 Passed the House of Representatives May 14, 2003.

 Attest:

Clerk.